DINWIDDIE VOTES FOR GOOD ROADS

By Overwhelming Majority County Decides to Issue Bonds.

VERY LITTLE OPPOSITION

With Three Precincts Missing, Result Is More Than Ten to One.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

PETERISBURG, VA., February E.—
Deniwidie county voted overwheimingly for good roads to-day. The
quesion was whether or not the county should issue bonds to the amount
of \$100,000 for the permanent improvement of the main public roads, and
the vote in favor of the Issue was
over ten to one. The total vote of
the county, with three small precincts
to hear from, which will not materially change the figures, was: For
bond issue, 510 against 49.

Everyone of the four districts and
every precinct, as far as reported,
gave a majority for the issue. The
vote was larger than was expected.
Great credit is given Senator Lassiter for the good work he has done
for road improvement in Dinwiddle,
and the almost unanimans vote given
by the people of the county in response thereto makes him a happy
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There are about 100 miles of main roads in Dinwiddio, some of which pass through each district, and the proceeds of the bonds will be apportioned to each according to its road mileage, calculating the cost of improvement at \$1,000 per mile.

Following is the vote, with three precincts missing:

Rowantic District—Courthouse Precinct, 50 for, 9 against; Rocky Run, 54 for, 2 against; Monks Neck, 31 for, 6 against; Reams, 7 for, 18 a year. The terms are that Mr. Walagainst.

SHOT PROVES FATAL.

No Cause Yet Discovered for Young Man's Spielde.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)

NEW CHURCH, VA., February 3.—

Bylvester E. Purnell, the young man who came here from Snow Hill, Md., six months ago and entered in business with J. S. Gordy & Brothers humber with J. S. Gordy & Brothers, lumber dealers, at Painter, Va., and attempted sulcide at his boarding-house yesterafternoon, died at 19 o'clock last

hight. He had reached the home of D. T. Justice, Wattsville, Va., early in the day and after eating his noon meal, retired to the sitting-room, and lay upon a lounge near the fireside, apparently in good spirits. About 4 o'clock in the afternoon the members of the household were startled by the sound of a pistol shot, and on investigating, found Purnell with a smoking revolver in his hand and a gaping wound in his temple, dying on the floor. No statement could be obtained from the dying man, but it is believed that worry over financial inditors

Railroad, who was fatally injured Sunday, were being prepared here for burial yesterday afternoon, his sister, Miss Nannie B. Fisher, of Strasburg, was married to James F. Shank, of the same town, in Washington.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. John T. Huddle. The bride, it is stated, had been visiting in Washington, and did not know her brother was dead.

New Officers of Hospital.

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At the Quality Shop



Man Proposes

The weather disposes. We bought early and generously, expecting a normal winter. It never came. That's why these goods must go at prices that make buying not only a pleasure, but a duty.

All the \$15, \$16 and \$16.50 Suits and O'Coats are cut to \$9.75

All the \$18, \$20 and \$22,50 Suits and O'Coats are cut to

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Darvilles District—Darvilles Presider, 32 for, 3 against; Westboro, 5 for, 1 against; White Oak, 24 for, 3 against; Oakgrove, 27 for, none against; Oakgrove, 27 for, none against.

Namazine District—Church Road, 67 for, 5 against; Sutherland, 100 for, none against; New Hope, 50 for, 1 against.

Sapony District—Brookland, 66 for, 1 against.

SHOT PROVES FATAL.

FARMVILLE, VA., February tured skull and probably fatal knife wounds, while the other is seriously injured. In the skirmish the table, on which was a burning large which was a burning lamp, was over-turned, setting fire to the house. The fire department quickly got the flames under control. Watkins walked away, but was captured and lodged in jail.

New Industry for Norfolk. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
NORFOLK, VA., February 3.—The
announcement is made that S. E. Gill,
of Pittsburg, who has leased the Berk-

Luke, several miles west of here, caused the county board of health to close for the time the public school there. The house of David Ryman, where most of the worst cases have been, will be burned by the county

Were we perfect, which we are not, medicines would not often be needed. But since our systems have become weakened, impaired and broken down through indiscretions which have gone on from the early ages, through countless generations, remedies are needed to sid Nature in correcting our inherited and otherwise acquired weaknesses. To reach the seat of stomach weakness and consequent digestive troubles, there is nothing so good as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, a glyceric compound, extraoted from native medicinal roots—sold for over forty years with great satisfaction to all users. For Weak Stomach, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Pain in the Stomach after eating, Heartburn, Bad Breath, Belching of food, Chronic Diarrhea and other Intestinal Derangements, the "Discovery" is a time-proven and most efficient remedy.



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Link After Link of Damaging Evidence Being Forged by State.

ermogre, treasurer of the gun company.

The witness read from the company's books, showing that it had sold to Charles Leonard Company, of Petersbooks, showing that it had sold to Charles Leonard Company, of Petersborg, twelve guns in June, 1997. One of the numbers was 140,44, the same that appears on the fore-end of an Ithaca gun found near the death scene early on the following morning. Frank M. Hobbs, vice-president of the Leonard Company, testified that bis company sold one of the guns to Holland & Hordy, of Holland, Va., the latter being the defendant. Hardy ordered the gun for Sam Pete Holland, who later traded it back to Hardy for a rifle.

At the coroner's inquisition Hardy testified that he sold the gun a few days before the tragedy to a stranger from North Carolina, who, he said, came to his store and purchased it in the presence of several witnesses. The gun has not been seen since, so far as known.

Powerful Protest.

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HOME CURE FOR ECZEMA.

oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, Glycerine,

It really seeins strange that so many people suffer year in and year out with cezema, when it is now no longer a se-cret that oil of wintergreen mixed with thymol, glycerine, etc., makes a wush that is bound to cure. Old, obstinate cases, it is true, can-

not be cured in a few days, but there is absolutely no sufferer from eczenia THE PROSECUTION SCORES

Shows Conclusively That Defendant Owned Gun Which Killed Jones.

Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Sufffolk, VA., February 8.—The Ithaca Gun Company, of Ithaca, N. Y., to-day scored strongly for the State in the trial of Sam Hardy, alleged slayer of Tiberius Gracchus Jones, near the latter's doorsteps, on the night of last October 26. The State's star witness of the entire trial was Paul Smith Livermony. The witness read from the campany.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] SPOTSYLVANIA, VA., February Powerful Protest.

The defense's lawyers entered a powerful protest against the admission of country, has resigned, and Clarence L. the gun evidence, on the ground that Rhonds has been appointed in his place.

News of Petersburg

Times-Dispatch Bureau,
109 North Sycamore Street.
Petersurg, Va., February 3,
Delegates to the Anti-Salon
League State convention, which is to
be held in Norfolk on February 10,
have been appointed by some of the
churches of this city, and others will
follow. The probability is that a
pretty strong delegation will go from
Petersburg. The question of Sutewide prohibition seems to be favored
by the anti-saloen leaders in this city,
and Judge W. H. Mann seems to be
the favorite randidate for the governorship. As previously stated in this
correspondence, the matter of a local
option election in Petersburg is for
the time being held in abeyance—the
time depending on the opinion to be
rendered by the Supreme Court on the
Ward law If that law is upheld an
immediate election will be asked,
otherwise the election may not be held
until June.

Death From Tetanus.

NORFOLK. VA. February 3.—The ansonnement is made that S. E. Gill, or Pittsburg who has leased the Berk ley water front recently purchased by that worry over financial mittors caused him to end his life. His father, who was telegraphed for, arrived here this morning and will take charge of his remains.

MARRIAGE AND DEATH,

Woman Weds, Not Knowing Her Brother I labeled to Pittsburg who has least 130,000.

[Apoclaio The Times-Dispatch.]

Winchester, VA. February 3.—The mountement is made that S. E. Gill, or Pittsburg who has leasted the Berk ley water front recently purchased by the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting from a gunshlot wound received on the Hospital diskner for the petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting from a gunshlot wound received on the Petersburg Hospital at an early flour this morning of tetanus, resulting from a gunshlot wound received on the Petersburg Hospital answer such charge as may be pre-ferred under the circumstances. An

col. Henry C. Roper, who has been a patent in the Potersburg Hospital for weeks, as the result of a paralytic stroke, shows but little permanent improvement in condition. Colonel Roper has a host of friends in the city who are anxiously hoping for his recovery. The congregation of Washington Street Methodist Church will expend \$2,500 or \$5,000 in repairs and improvements on the church parsonage. The congregation of High Street Church will expend \$1,200 in repairs to the church building.

The young men of the city who are

are Professors Saunders, Worrell, Fentress, Shawen and Britt.

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ANTI-TRUST LAW

They Appear Before Committee and Appeal for Its Passage by Legislature.

FEELING IS INTENSE

Members Aroused by Intimation That They Are Influenced by Corporation.

[Special to The Times-Disputch,] RALEIGH, N. C., February 3 .- The

Senate Judiclary Committee had a live y time this evening hearing advocate subsection "A" in the anti-trust law It was a Rockingham county delegation, headed by ex-Senator Reuber Reid opened up with a characteristi flery speech, demanding that the Dem ocratic party stand by its platform and pass the bill. Democrats, he said have denounced the Republicans, and rightly, too, for breaking faith in the matter of campaign promises, and now mark and pass the subsection "A" bill. He did not believe the act would drive the State, and if it did conditions ever then would be better than now. He charged that prices of tobacco ranged \$5.80 on the hundred pounds town now than when the trust was formed.

Arouses Resentment.
C. O. McMichael made a remarkable speech favoring the bill, and incurred considerable resentment on the part of members of the committee by presuming that this was to be an unfavorable report, and charging that this would be because members were under the influence of the trust interests.

Senator Pharr, Senator Manning, Senator Means, and others, took exception ator Means, and others, took exception to this, with the result that Mr. Mc-Michael retracted with apologies.

J. O. W. Gravely, of Rocky Mount, advocated the bill on the ground that it would certainly give some relief from conditions that are now intolerable. He contended that about all the compatition there is now, it that pre-

competition there is now is that pro-vided by the warehouses, mostly for appearances' sake. He did not be-lieve the American Tobacco Company would leave the State if the bill passes.

There were a dozen or more farmers in the Rockingham delegation, and several of these told of the santiment in their section for the bill. One, a

Mr. Carter, told how hard it is for to-Mr. Carter, told how hard it is for to-bacco farmers to make ends meet. It developed later that he has fifteen children. Chairman Manning comment-ed that his case might be exceptional, and the speaker replied that it had been his experience that parents got along about as well with fifteen as with one. At least he had found it that way. The committee continued the hear-

ing to Friday afternoon, when ex Speaker E. J. Justice and others ar to be heard for the bill.

HAS NARROW ESCAPE.

M. Penick Falls and Is Caught in Elevator Shaft. [Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., February 3.—D.

M. Penick, president of the Strother Drug Company, one of the leading wholesale drug concerns of the South, narrowity escaped being crushed to death in an elevator in his establishment to-night. As it was, he escaped without broken bonels, and it is hoped he has not sustained internal injuries. He was showing the company's new building to a friend, and as the electric elevator passed the first floor, ascending, he thoughtlessly stepped in ascending, he thoughteesty scapped in.
As he did so he slipped and fell, his
body being in such a position as to
come in contact with the shaft, stoppling the car. The straining of the
motor in the basement attracted an could have prevented Mr. Penick being killed.

Ills Romance Was Ended with Suicide
of Wife.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
FREDERICKSEURG, VA., February
3.—Matthew W. Doss, a deserter from
the United States Navy, was arrested
here to-day. He states that he deserted from the United States steamship Tacoma at Hampton Roads August 25, 1997, to marry & Miss Lynch,
of Norfolk. The couple went to Washington and lived there until January
14, 1909, when Mrs. Doss committed
suicide by drinking carbolic acid. After, her death Doss went on a big
spree, and came here several days ago.
To-day he gave hinself up to Officer
Robinson, stating the circumstances of
the desertion, and said he wanted to
go back to his home in Nashville, but
he could not do so until he had taken
the punishment for desertion. He was
locked up and the Navy Department
notified. Officer Robinson will take
Doss to the receiving ship Franklin at
Portsmouth and receive the reward.

New Bank Building.

New Bank Building,
NORFOLK, VA., February 3.—The
announcement is made that the Norfolk National Bank has decided to raze
its present building on Main Street and
erect a modern \$75,000 banking house
on the site. The present vault, situted in the rear of the building, will
be utilized and left undisturbed. The
bank will temporarily move next door
during the building operations.

Late Ice Hurvest,
[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
MONTEREY, VA. February 3.—A
February Ice harvest in this climate is
regarded as a late one, and is presecuted as vigorously as an overripe
wheat harvest. The first ice of any
consequence was formed Sunday and
Monday, when the mercury tell to 4
above zero, and the work of storing it
is now in full blast,

Barn Is Burned.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
WOODSTOCK, VA., February 3.—
The barn of William Grandstaff, near
Red Banks, was destroyed by fire this
morning, together with a large amount
of grain and hay, and all of the farming implements. The live stock was
saved. Mr. Grandstaff was feeding,
and the lantern he carried exploded

Lives to Be a Hundred.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
HOLLADAY, NA., February 3.—Maria
Johnson, an old servant of the Mansfield family, died here. She was about
100 years old. Her mother also lived
to be nearly a hundred, and her father,
"Old Harry," lived to be considerably
over a hundred. a hundred.



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TAFFETA SILK, in pretty checks and stripes. 49c in all the new color combinations; per yard......

STUBBORN BLAZE REPORTS READY VISITS MANASSAS ON MANY BILL

Two Buildings Destroyed, While Judiciary Committees Conclude Newspaper Plant Is Badly "Pied."

Residences Change Hands.
[Special to The Times-Dispatch,]
NORFOLK, VA., February 3.—The
announcement is made of the sale of
the three brick residences Nos. 303,
305 and 307 Mowbray Arch, Ghent, to
Byrd & Baldwin Brothers, by John L.
Roper, and the price paid was \$27,500,

SHOWERPROOF MESSALINE FOULARD SILKS, in stripes, dots and figures, in grounds of old rose, raspberry, brown, mais, Wistaria, Carthage, crocus, new Copenhagen, reseda and heliotrope; per yard.

Work on Grist of House Measures.

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motor in the basement attracted an employe's attention, and he quickly cut the current. But for this nothing could have prevented Mr. Penick being killed.

DESERTER SURRENDERS.

His Remance Was Ended with Suicide of Wife.

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Roper, and the price paid was \$27,500, another word has been heard from the supposed wreck off Diamond Shoals, and the Onandago, which is coaling the control of W. R. Presson, near Longylew, Va. The loss is \$1,500, with insurance of \$1,090.

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